

All I can say is that videophones should be compatible with other videophones, regardless of brand names and should not have to be restricted to contact those of the same brand and wait longer to contact those of the other brand.

I realize that videophones are relatively new. New features need to be added to ensure smoother communication and attract new users.

Also, emergency services need to be upgraded to be compatible with/for the Deaf. TTY's, videophones and Relay services often have a "disclaimer" that one must use a phone in order to receive emergency services. Phones are of no use and TTY's are becoming obsolete as we have evolved to use Instant Messaging/Relay, interactive pagers and videophones as part of our electronic modes of communication.

thanks,  
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